GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2802
ANSWERED ON:06.12.2001
TERMINAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
UMMAREDDY VENKATESWARLU

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the railways are launching Terminal Management System shortly;

(b) If so, the details of this new system;

(c) the advantages of this new system;

(d) the number of railway stations that would come under this new system; and

(e) the time by when the Terminal Management System would become operational ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL)

(a) It shall be launched after the Rake Management System (RMS) of Freight Operation Information System has stabilized.

(b) The system is designed to capture registration of indents for wagons by customers, wagon-wise supply and loading details, issue of computerised Railway Receipts and delivery at destination etc.

(c) Simplified customer interaction, continuous consignment tracking and automation of internal processes will be main advantages of the new system.

(d) The planning is under progress.

(e) It can be predicted only after RMS has stabilized, software testing has been completed and adequate funds are made available.